IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

Wendel et al 10/789,881

Confirmation No.: 9147 Group Art Unit:

1919

For:

February 27, 2004 STABILIZATION OF OXIDATION-SENSITIVE OR UV-SENSITIVE ACTIVE

INGREDIENTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1.	This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of one month to respond to the				
	Office Action dated May 26, 2004.				
2.	Applicant is	a small entity;	other than a small entity.		
3.	Calculation of extens	culation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):			
	Total Months	Fee For Other	Fee for		
	Requested	Than Small Entity	Small Entity		
\boxtimes	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00		
	two months	\$420.00	\$210.00		
	three months	\$950.00	\$475.00		
	four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00		
	five months*	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00		
*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.					
\boxtimes	PTO Form 2038 authorizing the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed.				
	Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.				
\boxtimes	Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.				
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Respectfully submitted,

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